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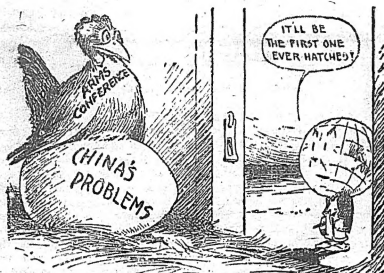
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To One and All A Happy And Prosperous New Year

Chinook School Pupils Give Fine Concert

Quite a large and appreciative audience filled the assembly hall of the Chinook school last Thursday evening when the pupils put on a very fine concert. The programme consisted of choruses, action songs, drills, plays and recitations.

Among the many features of the evening were the "Musical Game" by the little tots, under the direction of Mrs. Kettys; an action song "Little White Snowflakes" by the girls in Miss Reist's class; a scarf drill by the girls in Miss Storey's class; a Christmas play, which was directed by Mr. Beldin; and "Little Darkies" by the boys and girls in Miss Ethridge's class, all of which were well received. Recitations by little Lyla Hamon, Duncan McKenzie and Crystal Aarsby also figured in the programme.

The excellence of the program reflected great credit upon the children who participated and those who trained them.

Miss Dorothy Roberts and Mrs. Robert Smith very ably assisted at the piano. Mr. Bird made an excellent chairman.

Santa Claus sent in the first message of his approach from Fort Norman, by wireless. This was received soon after the programme started. At half hour intervals other messages were sent recording his rapid progress southward. He reached Chinook in good time to address the children and to distribute gifts. Santa was in splendid form in spite of his long journey.

Village Council Doings

At the last meeting of the Village Council held Wednesday evening, a communication was read from the committee of the skating rink asking for a grant of fifty dollars. The secretary of the rink, Mr. R. Dunn, was present and explained the conditions with which the committee had agreed to approach the Council for the requested grant. After a thorough discussion, it was decided to grant fifty dollars, the fence surrounding the rink to become the property of the Village and to be used for rink purposes as long as so required.

A number of accounts were also passed and order paid.

Local Items

Miss M. E. Ethridge left Friday for Calgary where she will spend Christmas holidays.

Mrs. A. Nicholson is spending Christmas with her sister in Calgary.

Miss Olive Young, who is teaching in a school near Sedalia, is spending Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Robt Smith.

Dr. L. P. Leavitt, who has been spending Christmas in Calgary, returned Wednesday morning.

Miss Bessie Mitchell, who is attending the University in Edmonton, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Miss N. Reist is spending the Christmas at her home in Wetaskawin.

Mr. Stata, who is managing a store at Standard, spent Christmas with his family here.

Don't forget Montgomery's big bargain sale which commenced Tuesday. Twenty per cent. reduction on all dry goods, boots and shoes. Sale only lasts eleven days. Don't miss this bargain sale.

A party of about twenty-eight friends paid a surprise visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Whelan, north of town last Monday evening. All voted a very enjoyable evening spent in dancing and good old fashioned games.

Miss Mildred Hamon, who has been spending the week end with her parents, returned to Hanna Tuesday.

Messrs. J. Rennie, D. McKenzie and Const. Cruickshank motored to Oyen on Tuesday.

A number of masonic members attended the Youngstown Lodge on Tuesday evenings when the installation of officers for both Lodges was held.

Chinook Literary

The U. F. A. and U. F. W. A. social gathering will be held on Friday evening. In addition to programme of vocal and other solos there will be a debate on "Wheat Marketing." Dance as usual.

Watch-Night Service Saturday Dec. 31st.

A watch-night service will be held in the Chinook church next Saturday evening commencing at 11 o'clock. The service will take the form of a song service when the choir and the congregation will take part. Everybody is invited to be present.

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May Call Another Conference To Deal With Naval Rates

Washington.—A suggestion was made in British arms circles of the conference that it might be necessary for President Harding to call another conference to deal with that portion of the agreement on naval rates which prohibits the further construction of warships.

The British view is that there is some doubt as to whether the provision in its present shape is sufficiently definite to prevent nations of the powers represented at the present conference from constructing warships in other countries not a party to agreements.

The British declared that, as an example, one great British ship-building concern has dockyards in Spain, another in Norway and others were located in other countries. Under a liberal construction of the ratio agreement, there would be nothing to prevent the utilization of these dockyards to build warships. It was said, and the present conference cannot prevent the presence of delegates from all of the countries where shipbuilding plants are located.

With definite capital ship ratios agreed upon by all five of the principal powers, there was revealed a feeling that limitation of auxiliary craft was largely a "minor" question of detail in the settlement of which the individual desires of the various nations could be generally accepted. The view was expressed that the real business of the conference had been accomplished in the limitation of first line ships, since it is that class of war vessel which constitutes the major element of naval aggression, and which, at the same time entails the greatest bulk of public expenditure.

Grain Elevator For B.C.

Amount of Appropriation Not Less Than Two Million
Vancouver.—A huge terminal grain elevator is to be built on Burrard Inlet by the United Grain Growers, Limited.

"Information to this effect was given to the Sun by a prominent business man in this city, who is in close touch with the United Grain Growers' head office in Winnipeg.
"The directors of that company are at present deliberating upon the amount of their appropriation for this purpose, he said. In his opinion the amount will not be much less than \$2,000,000, while the elevator will be of probably double the capacity of the government elevator which has a capacity of 1,250,000 bushels."

Judgment Reserved
Ottawa.—Judgment was reserved on the application of the Bell Telephone Company for increased rates before the railway commission. The hearing has lasted seven days and Hon. P. B. Carvell intimated at the close that it would be three weeks before a decision was announced.

Deposits Lost In Alberta Election
Calgary.—Opponents of at least half the Alberta Farmer candidates in the federal elections will lose their deposits. They are known to have met this fate in Red Deer, Medicine Hat, Battle River, Victoria, East Edmonton, Lethbridge, Strathcona and probably West Edmonton.

Financial Conditions Of Canada Much Improved During The Past Year

Ottawa.—In a statement handed out, Sir Henry Dugan, minister of finance, reviews the financial condition of Canada. He finds that business conditions have slowly but surely improved during the past year, and declares that Canadians may well look to the future with confidence. The statement is as follows:

Notwithstanding a year of falling values and business difficulties the finances of the country have been wonderfully maintained. The revenue, exclusive of railways—the real consolidated fund revenue—instead of falling off in December, has increased.

The following statement shows the amount of this revenue set out for the eight months' period, i.e., down to December 1, for the past eight years:

1914, \$81,007,310.50; 1915, \$85,084,883.06; 1916, \$127,740,225.51; 1917, \$149,888,100.26; 1918, \$167,015,849.54;

Australia Willing To Trade With Germany

Vancouver.—The Vancouver Province carries the following cable from Sydney, N.S.W.: Premier Hughes proposes to issue a proclamation removing restrictions on trade with Germany. The new foreign postal rates from Australia are now fourpence, a big increase from the former rate of two and a halfpence. The British Empire rates are unchanged.

The Japanese Treaty

President Harding Does Not Regard Compact as Affecting Principal Islands of Japan
Washington.—President Harding was said at the White House to not regard the four-power Pacific treaty as covering the principal island possessions in the Pacific, while the main Japanese group occupies the position of a party to the treaty rather than a possession.

The United States delegation on the other hand agreed with the representatives of the powers before the treaty was signed that the principal Japanese group were to be covered under the agreement along with all the other Pacific islands under the sovereignty of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan.

President Harding announced in a public statement that the differences in views as to the application of the new treaty would not be permitted to embarrass the work of the Washington conference.

Toronto Has New Mayor

Thomas Church Drops Out After Holding Post for Seven Years
Toronto.—Controller Charles Alfred Maguire will be mayor of Toronto for 1920. As expected he was declared elected by acclamation. Mayor Thomas L. Church, M.P., was nominated but announced his withdrawal in a speech which expressed his gratitude to the city for its confidence in him as mayor for the past seven years.

There were eight nominations for the four places on the board of control, while 34 names were placed in nomination for the 24 aldermanic seats. Although Toronto city council is non-political, it is notable that Mayor-elect Maguire is a Liberal in politics, both provincial and federal. He is 46 years old and has been a member of the council as alderman and controller for many years. In business he is an underwriter.

Japs Book Passage Home
Washington.—In the expectation of an early completion of matters of immediate importance before the Washington conference, members of the Japanese delegation and their various staffs have tentatively booked the capacity of the steamer, Shinyo Maru, sailing from San Francisco, January 24, for their return to Japan.
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Policy Maintained Over Bank Merger

Finance Minister Gave Consent Because Circumstances Justified It
Ottawa.—Sir Henry Dugan stated that so many unauthorized and incorrect statements had been attributed to him in connection with the proposed sale of the assets of the Merchants Bank to the Bank of Montreal, that he felt he ought to make a brief statement. One of the statements attributed to him is that he had said the capital was impaired. Sir Henry said: "I have refused to discuss and have never discussed the details of this situation. I have simply stated that the policy of the department has been maintained. It is against consolidations and mergers where banks ought and ought to carry on, and that consent to a merger is justified only when a situation has arisen which in the public interest and the interest of depositors and customers and the general financial situation renders the acquisition of a weaker bank by a stronger one advisable."

Canadian Memorials In France

Colonel Gagnon Reports Work Is Progressing Favorably
New York.—Colonel Emile Gagnon, of Montreal, chief paymaster of the Canadian troops during the war, has arrived in New York from France on the steamer Zealand.

Col. Gagnon has spent a year and a half on the battlefields in charge of the Canadian memorials which are to be erected at a number of the places made memorable by the heroic work of the soldiers from the Dominions.

One Canadian memorial was recently unveiled at Vimy Ridge. Col. Gagnon reports that the work on the others is progressing favorably.

Give Machinery For Raw Material

Proposal Made to Soviet by International Harvester Company
Moscow.—The Vestnik newspaper says the International Harvester Company has proposed to the Central Soviet Co-operative Committee the delivery of sufficient agricultural machinery and bladders to supply the needs of Siberian agriculture in exchange for raw materials at the disposal of the co-operative committee of the province of Yenaki, East Siberia.

Four Majority In Ont. Government
Toronto.—Officials of the Ontario Government figure out a majority of four members of the Legislature over all opposition as a result of the polling in the by-election in North York, when D. M. Ross, the Government candidate, was elected. This was a farmer gain from the Liberal column.

Liquor In Transit
Windsor, Ont.—Bottles of liquor having broken seals can be carried from one lawful place to another, providing that the seals are not broken while the liquor is in transit. Judge Gundy ruled in the local police court in dismissing a charge against Joseph Earl Drouillard, Ford, Ont., on a charge of having liquor in an unlawful place.

WESTERN EDITORS



J. J. White, Publisher of The Outlook, Outlook, Sask.

Prepare For Royal Wedding

Westminster Abbey to be Scene of Interesting Ceremony
London.—It is reliably reported that the wedding of Princess Mary, daughter of King George and Queen Mary, to Viscount Lascelles, will take place in Westminster Abbey. The ceremony will probably be performed some time between February 20 and April 1.

It is announced that the Earl of Ethm, nephew of Queen Mary, is betrothed to Dorothy Hastings, a niece of the Earl of Huntingdon. The Earl of Ethm was born in October, 1895. He is the oldest son of the Marquis of Cambridge.

Toast New State

Appeal Made at a Dinner in London For Irish Unity
London.—A toast to the Irish Free State, the first on record, was given at a dinner of the Society of St. Patrick. It was proposed by General Sir Hubert De La Poer Gough, commander of the British Fifth Army during the war, and an Irishman by birth. General Gough appealed to all Englishmen and Irishmen to clasp hands in friendship.

Miss Collins, a sister of Michael Collins, responded to General Gough, saying she hoped Irish unity would be achieved.
The diners gave three cheers for Mr. Collins.

Jap Steamer In Trouble
Portland, Ore.—The Japanese steamer Texas Maru from Portland, Dec. 15, for Kobe reported by wireless that she was leaking badly and had lost two men overboard as a result of a storm encountered 300 miles off the mouth of the Columbia River. She had a crew of 48 and a mixed cargo valued at \$338,000.

\$25,000 Organ Burns
Calgary.—An almost new organ in Trinity Methodist Church, Calgary, was destroyed by fire and water, although the building itself escaped with a \$5,000 scorching. Electric wires in the organ loft are blamed. The insurance was \$5,000.

Be fair to your local merchants. Ask to see his goods and compare prices before sending your money to the mail order houses. You will find that it pays.

Cannot Evolve Plan For Establishing Of Western Wheat Pool

France Accepts Naval Agreement

Acceptance of U.S. Proposal With Certain Reservations
Washington.—Acceptance by France with reservation in the United States proposal of 175,000 tons in capital ships each for France and Italy, swept the arms conference forward to its next major problem—the submarine issue. Italy, it was stated officially, has already accepted the 175,000 ton figure, conditioned only on its acceptance by France.

Formal announcement of French acceptance and details of French reservations apparently were reserved by the sub-committee of 15 for the full naval committee of the conference. The sub-committee did break its silence sufficiently, however, to publish the messages exchanged by Secretary Hughes and Premier Briand which led up to the action of the French delegation. The messages were read and discussed by the sub-committee but the official communiqué disclosed no more than the texts of the cables.

The premier's message showed that reservations attached to acceptance of the 175,000 capital ship tonnage had to do with "light cruisers, torpedo boats and submarines." This has served to bring the conference to a standstill until the submarine issue can be solved, when the five-power capital ship agreement will be completed automatically. It is assumed the full naval committee was called to lay out a programme for the discussion of submarines and anti-submarine craft, as the two are interwoven, in French and British opinion. This implies that the auxiliary capital ship elements of the plan must be shaped into agreement before the conference committees can return to ratify the capital ship agreement.

Chief Magistrate In Yukon

Staff-Sergeant of Royal Canadian Mounted Police Is Oldtime in Country
Dawson, Y.T.—Staff-Sergeant Dempster, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, has been appointed chief magistrate for the Mayo silver district. Notice of his appointment was received from Ottawa. His position will be that of first officer of the justice branch for the Mayo district. He will have the authority of a coroner and will be in control of the mounted police detachment in that district.

Sgt. Dempster is an oldtime in the Yukon. In his capacity of mounted policeman he has made the 500-mile trip from Dawson to Fort MacPherson beyond the Arctic Circle, fourteen times. He was in charge of the expedition which recovered the bodies of Capt. Fitzgerald and his party, which perished in a storm while on mounted police business between Great Slave Lake and Dawson.

Unemployed Of Calgary Organize

Demand Work at Union Wages and Abolition of Charity Board
Calgary.—Organization of the unemployed was effected at a mass meeting of over 500 held here. A central council was named, including representatives of the trades and labor council, and other similar bodies, with a proportion of two to one of unemployed.

A firm attempt will be made to secure alleviation for the present distressful conditions now existing in the city in which 3,000 are out of employment. Determination to pursue it in but possible means to bring about their wishes was expressed. The gathering demanded work at union wages, or the equivalent in cash, and the abolition of the charity board which has been handling the relief work. Unemployed in other cities are being asked to cooperate.

Arraigns Lloyd George
Dublin.—Mary MacSwiney, sister of the late lord mayor of Cork, who died in a hunger strike in a prison in England last year, severely arraigned Prime Minister Lloyd George in speaking against the Anglo-Irish treaty in the Dail Eireann. She characterized the British Prime Minister as "an unscrupulous scoundrel."

Dissolve Parliament In Portugal
Lisbon.—A decree was issued, signed by all the members of the Portuguese Cabinet, dissolving Parliament and fixing January 8 as the date for holding a general election.

Winnipeg.—The special wheat pool committee of the Canadian Council of Agriculture in its report submitted to the council, finds it impossible to evolve a scheme for the establishment of a wheat pool on the lines laid down by the Council of Agriculture.

The committee was appointed by the council at its meeting in Winnipeg in October, 1920, and has held five meetings. In addition much study has been given between sessions by its individual members to the matters entrusted to the committee, the report states. The report was adopted after a lengthy discussion.

An alternative plan for a pool was submitted to the committee, the report states, but on account of the "expressed sentiment in Saskatchewan favoring the re-establishment of the Canadian Wheat Board," the committee made no recommendation on the plan.

The work originally entrusted to the committee was to ascertain if the conditions laid down by the council for the establishment of a wheat pool could be fulfilled and later to make alternative suggestions, if deemed advisable.

The essential conditions laid down were principally as follows:

- (1) A minimum of 60 per cent. of the wheat to be assured to the pool by enforceable five-year contracts for the delivery of all their wheat by the participating farmers.
- (2) Arrangement with country elevators for the handling of the wheat of the pool.
- (3) Necessary financial arrangements, presumably to enable the pool management to make cash advances without hedging or sale until it were thought wise; and,
- (4) Certain amendments to the Canada Grain Act.

The committee, in its findings on these conditions believes that under existing conditions it would not be possible to secure such contracts assuring delivery to the pool for five years of all the wheat of farmers raising 50 per cent. of the total; and that if a sufficient number of farmers could be induced to sign such contracts many of them would find it difficult, if not impossible, to fulfill their obligations and contracts. Negotiations for handling and for the financing of the project could not be carried very far without first being able to assure volume and continuity, the finding states. The committee did not, therefore, enquire into these matters to any great extent, but it doubts that a great pooling undertaking under contracts would receive favorable cooperation from the line elevator companies.

Towns Get Benefit

B.C. Makes Big Profit On Sale Of Liquor

Victoria, B.C.—The Government of British Columbia is distributing \$200,000 of local profits among the towns and municipalities of the province. For the period, June 15 to September 30, the net profits on liquor sales under government control were \$541,996, and municipalities have been granted by the government half the net liquor profits, less what is set aside as required by the act for a reserve fund. Into this fund \$140,000 of the profits for the foregoing period is placed. The division of the profits is according to population.

Vancouver's share is \$64,750 and Victoria's \$30,538.

Manitoba Shows Deficit For Year
Winnipeg.—Manitoba public accounts for 1921 show a deficit of \$650,000 when presented to its provincial legislature late last January. This is the largest deficit shown for many years. Increased cost of maintenance of government, mothers' allowances and aids to agriculture are largely responsible for surpluses of past years being wiped out. It was stated.

For High Commissionership
London.—Lord Shaghnessy's name is going the rounds here in connection with the Canadian high commissioner ship in London, although nothing has been said suggesting that this is anything more than mere gossip. Many Canadians here think Hon. H. S. Boland will be a suitable successor to Sir George Perley.

Delegates Cancel Reservation
Washington.—The British delegation cancelled reservation made on the measure calling for New York, Dec. 31. It was stated members of the delegation think there is little chance of their being able to leave before the middle of January.



—Baltimore Sun

WILL IT BE AN OPERATION OR A MANICURE?

JUDICIAL SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

PURSUANT to the Judgment and Final Order for Sale there will be offered for sale by public auction, subject to the conditions and Reservations expressed in the original grant from the Crown or in existing Certificate of Title and subject to any outstanding Seed Grain Liens, particulars and amounts of which will be made known at the time of sale, with the approbation of the Master in Chambers, Edmonton, by James H. Davis, at the Post Office of Chinook, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday, the 7th day of January, A.D. 1922, at 12 o'clock noon:

The North West Quarter of Section Thirty-three (33), Township Twenty-six (26), Range Seven (7), West of the Fourth (4th) Meridian, in the Province of Alberta, of record in the Land Titles Office for the South Alberta Land Registration District. Subject to the Reservations and Conditions in the present Certificate of Title, excepting thereon the land covered by the waters of Lake A. at the time of the survey of the said Lake, as shown on a plan of survey of said township, approved and confirmed at Ottawa, 25th of August, 1915, by Edmund Deville, Surveyor-General of Dominion Lands, and of record in the Department of the Interior, containing One Hundred and Fifty-six and eighty-hundredths (156.80) acres more or less.

The Vendor is informed of the following particulars:—

The above mentioned property consists of One Hundred and Fifty-six (156) acres more or less, located 13 miles from Chinook and 2½ miles from Big Spring Post Office. About 80 acres of this land have been under cultivation and approximately 70 acres more could be broken. The soil is a chocolate loam of an average depth of 8 inches with clay sub-soil. Located thereon is a house shingled roofed 13 by 14 feet and a frame stable and granary 15 feet by 26 feet.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid which has been fixed by the Master in Chambers.

Terms of payment are—The purchaser is at the time of the sale to pay down a deposit of 10% of the amount of the purchase price to the Vendor's solicitors, and the remainder of the purchase price is to be paid into Court within sixty (60) days without interest, or the purchaser shall have the option of paying 10% of the purchase price as aforesaid, and giving a mortgage to the Vendor not to exceed \$500.00, payable as follows: \$50 yearly for four years and the balance at the expiration of the fifth year with interest at 8 per cent. per annum, and to pay the balance of the purchase price then owing into Court within sixty (60) days without interest.

In all other particulars the terms and conditions of Sale will be standing conditions of the Supreme Court of Alberta, as approved by the Master.

Further particulars can be had from Messrs. Parlee, Freeman, McEay & Howson, Barristers, etc., No. 103 C.P.R. Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 25th day of November, A.D. 1921.
"R. P. WALLACE"
C. S. C.

Approved:
"A. Y. B." M. C.

L. E. Ormond, B.A., LL.B.

Graduate of University of St. Francis Xavier's College and Dalhousie Law School.

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Mortgage Sale of Valuable Farm Property

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act", under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Post Office in the Village of Chinook in the Province of Alberta, on SATURDAY, the 7th day of January 1922, and at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:—

The South Half of Section Sixteen (16) in Township Twenty-eight (28) and Range Seven (7) West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, reserving unto His Majesty all mines and minerals.

Terms of sale to be 20 per cent, cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserve bid and free from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about four miles South from the Village of Chinook on the C.N.R. and that includes a shingle roofed frame residence 14 feet by 16 feet, with lean-to 12 feet by 14 feet, and kitchen 10 feet by 12 feet, a frame stable 16 feet by 32 feet and two granaries 14 feet by 16 feet and 12 feet by 14 feet and considerable fencing and a well and that about 180 acres have been brought under cultivation of which about 150 acres are in stubble and about 27 acres summer-fallow.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to L. E. Ormond Solicitor, Chinook, Alberta.

Dated at Calgary in the Province of Alberta, this 24th day of October A.D. 1921.

W. Forbes,
Registrar.

THE LAND TITLES ACT
MORTGAGE SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

PURSUANT to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act", under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Acadia Hotel, in the Village of Chinook, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday, the 7th day of January, 1922, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The East Half of Section Ten (10) in Township Twenty-six (26) and Range Eight (8) West of the Fourth Meridian in Alberta, reserving unto His Majesty, his successors and assigns, all mines and minerals and the right to work the same.

Terms of sale to be 20 per cent, cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserve bid and free from all encumbrances save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about 15 miles South-West from the Village of Chinook on the C.N.R. and includes a shingle roofed dwelling house 16 feet by 14 feet, with two additions 8 feet by 8 feet, and 6 feet by 8 feet, a granary 20 feet by 40 feet, a stable 40 feet by 46 feet, and a work shop and lean house 18 feet by 28 feet, all of frame construction, a well with a windmill and reservoir and about 80 acres of fencing, and that about 160 acres have been brought under cultivation, of which about 140 acres are in stubble and none in crop this year.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to L. E. Ormond, Solicitor, Chinook, Alberta.

Dated at Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, this 18th day of October, A.D. 1921.

Approved:
W. Forbes,
Registrar.

of great use for stock watering purposes.

While no estimate of the probable cost of the scheme could be made at present, he was satisfied that the cost would be less per acre than that of any other irrigation project in Alberta.

The influence of ditches on the dry land areas was great, he said, and it was estimated on good authority that one acre of irrigated land adds to seven other acres 50 per cent. of moisture.—Plaindealer, Youngstown.

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The New Year

A Flower unblown; a Book unread;
A Tree with Fruit unharvested;
A Path untrod; a House whose rooms
Lack yet the heart's divine perfumes;
A Landscape whose wide border lies
In silent shade 'neath silent skies;
A wondrous Fountain yet unsealed;
A Casket with its gifts concealed;
This is the Year that for you waits
Beyond tomorrow's mystic gates.
—Horatio Nelson Powers.

Turn over the leaf. It is a page of your past life now, and must count for or against. Just one thing left, forget the past and press on. A clean page is before you, ready for the record of another year. The great thing is to start it right—and the great thing is to keep it right. Keep the end in view and as you start with a Happy New Year it may be yours to be happy all the year.

Provision has been made by order-in-council whereby the sum of \$25,000 is set aside as the Dominion government's allotment toward assisting farmers in the dry area of Southern Alberta. A joint agreement has been reached between the Dominion government, the provincial government and the railways whereby feed will be transported free into the districts which suffered from drought during the summer of 1921 and cattle will be shipped out to feeding points and returned freight paid. Each party to the arrangement will contribute equally. Owing to the comparatively small area affected, the present allotment is considerably less than that set aside in 1919-20.

In 1920 no less than \$350,000 was set aside by the Dominion for this purpose and a similar amount in the year previous.

URGES SURVEYORS
WORK THIS WINTER

William Pearce Gives Talk on Irrigation

That the provincial government should urge on the Dominion government the necessity of keeping survey parties in the field this winter, was the statement of William Pearce, "father" of the scheme to bring irrigation to this district in an address following the hearing of witnesses by the survey board in the school of agriculture on Thursday.

If this were done, he thought work could be started next month. Certain work, especially necessary work on rivers, could better be done in the winter anyway, he added. It was definitely known that all the water in the North Saskatchewan, Clearwater, Battle, Red Deer and Blindman rivers could be taken out and diverted to Sullivan or Buffalo lakes, also to Red Deer lake, although it was not known if it were possible to take it out of the last named.

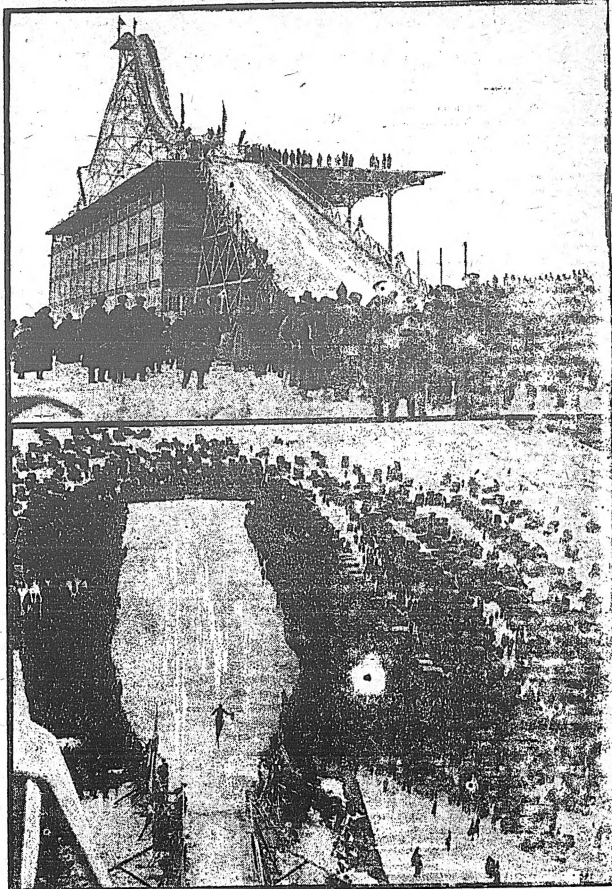
The problem was, he stated, can we utilize it all? Roughly, about 50 per cent. of the water could be conveyed into the storage lakes in the winter of the amount taken in summer. If the channel were correctly constructed, he explained, 5,000 second feet could be run down all winter. The amount of the Red Deer river was 800 second feet.

It was the duty of the government to divert this water where it would do most good, and it should be done as soon as possible. Every foot of water distributed would help people to raise more stock.

Up to October, he asserted, there was no information as to whether they would be able to get the water into Sullivan Lake, which had now been found feasible and would be comparatively cheap, the only difficult piece of work being an inverted siphon at Tail Creek. If the drainage of Sullivan Lake were high enough there was no reason why water could not be brought right through this town.

Value for Stock Watering
Even in sections of the country where land was very rolling, the scheme would be found to be valuable, and water could be run down coulees and other depressions and be

Calgary Winter Carnival



At Calgary Carnival last winter. First picture shows the Toboggan Slide, second picture Ski Jumping.

Calgary Winter Carnival will be held early in January, and the programme will include curling and skiing, hockey, skating and all other events usual in winter sports. The people of the city are giving enthusiastic support to the organizers of the Carnival. Handsome trophies will be offered. Close on forty rinks will be provided for the bonspiel. During ski jumpers will attend the Carnival. Speed skaters will turn up from all parts of the West. Calgary winter carnival promises to be as interesting an event as the Calgary Stampede in the autumn.

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How To Get Select Bacon Hogs From Present Breeding Stock

The following article by Mr. W. F. Stevens recently appeared in the Market Examiner, Calgary, and should be of interest to western farmers:

You ask for an opinion as to the probable success of the present campaign for greater pork production and especially greater bacon production. Before venturing to comply with your request, I will mention some of the things which are certain to prevent success or at least reduce the degree of success, that might otherwise be attained.

One is an unfavorable season such as that which followed the campaign for greater bacon production in the autumn of 1917 and the winter of 1918. A season such as that, when drought destroyed most of the crop. In the south, most of necessity be followed by large numbers of hogs coming to the market unfinished and unfit for the export bacon trade.

Another important factor in the case will be the attitude which the farmers and packers assume towards each other. The extent to which each strives to understand the other's problems and sympathizes with his difficulties, will determine to a great degree whether or not Western Canada is to figure largely in the export bacon trade ten years hence.

If, the first time a farmer arrives on the market with a carload of hogs and finds that a large percentage of them are rejected as "select bacon," instead of trying to understand wherein they fall short of that standard and wherein his methods of feeding or growing are at fault, he immediately pronounces the whole business a fraud and a new device for deceiving the producer, or if by the buyers for the packing companies, instead of explaining wherein the grower has failed, assumes a lofty air towards him when he seeks information and then undertakes to justify himself by calling all farmers a lot of bone-heads, who are incapable of getting the new idea—we will not get very far with our present campaign.

However assuming that the conditions are right, there will remain the necessity of our swine growers exercising judgment in selecting proper sires to mate with the females they now possess and displaying skill in growing and finishing the offspring.

The majority of swine growers will have to ask themselves three questions:

(a) What breed produces the best hog from the packer's standpoint?

(b) What breed is best suited to Western Canadian conditions and methods of growing?

(c) With what breed and type of sire must I mate the sows I now possess, in order to produce hogs, with proper management, in the grade of select bacon when offered for sale?

There is no doubt that in the hands of men who understand growing them and under suitable conditions the Yorkshire comes nearest producing the best hog from the packer's viewpoint. The man who has females of this breeding, who knows the methods necessary to success in growing pigs of this breed and who is able to protect his animals against the ailments to which they are most subject—namely, sunburn and cracked skins—should continue with them and he need not have any fears about where they will be classed.

At close second to the Yorkshires, from the packer's viewpoint, are the Tamworths. They have a slightly thicker and tougher skin than the Yorkshires, and therefore less likely to become sunburnt. This is a point in their favor from the standpoint of the grower—but they are perhaps the most restless and active of any of the breeds and this is a count against them.

Hampshires when properly grown, develop an excellent carcass for the bacon trade, and the grower who has females of Hampshires breeding can safely continue to keep his herd pure. The same applies to the "bacon type" Berkshires. One point must be kept in mind when selecting animals of this breed for breeding purposes. In order to produce prime Wiltshire bacon it is necessary that the layer of fat shall be of uniform thickness throughout the entire length of the back. The Berkshires, as a breed, have a tendency toward putting a somewhat heavier covering of fat over their shoulders than along the rest of their spine. In order to produce hogs that do not have this defect, it is necessary to select breeding stock that is smooth over the shoulders.

A large number of western farmers have for some years past been growing the thick, fat-backed variety of hogs, and they are naturally asking what breed of sire should be selected in order to secure the premium that

has been promised for animals of the bacon type.

The man who has grade Berkshire sows of fair length, should be able to produce bacon hogs by mating his sows with a boar of the longer type of the same breed.

A boar of Hampshire breeding will likewise throw pigs of good bacon conformation if bred to grade sows of fair length and depth of side.

But the farmer whose brood sows are of a pronounced short, thick type, such as the Duroc-Jerseys, Poland Chinas, or the shorter type of Berkshires, should select sire of a pronounced opposite type, if he wishes to grow hogs that will, with a reasonable degree of certainty, be graded as select bacon when offered for sale.

For this purpose he is limited in his choice to the Yorkshires and Tamworths. From the packer's standpoint the Yorkshire is to be preferred, because they have thin, white and tender skins. For these reasons a more attractive side of bacon can be produced from such a hog than is possible from a red, black or spotted one; besides, a white hog can be cleaned at a slightly less cost than a red or black one, this also causes him to be looked upon with favor by the packer. But from the standpoint of the grower, particularly the grower who runs his hogs in a pasture lot during the summer, the pigs from Yorkshire sires are not looked upon quite so favorably, because that thin, tender skin that is so much admired by the packer, renders them more liable to sun-scalding, and that in turn to various kinds of skin disease.

Fewer Auto Fatalities

The record for automobile fatalities for Toronto for the eleven months of 1921, as compiled by the Safety League, shows a total of 45 such deaths on the streets of Toronto. This figure is a noticeable improvement over 1920, when there were 64, which means a reduction of 30 per cent. In fatalities, in spite of an increase of thousands of motor cars registered in Toronto in 1921. In the months of January to November, inclusive, 1919, there were 47 automobile deaths on the streets of Toronto.

Gold Medal For N.E. Apples

At the Imperial fruit show, held recently in London, England, New Brunswick, in competition with the other provinces of Canada and the other Dominions of the Empire, was successful in carrying off the first prize and gold medals for McIntosh and Fameuse, and also a third and bronze medal for Golden Russell and Princess Louise.

There are more blind persons, it is estimated, among the Spaniards than any other European race.

King of Denmark

Regrets Kind Action

Found Man He Helped Was An Escaped Convict

An amusing story of the King of Denmark's recent visit to Greenland was recently told by M. Aagaard, of the Danish legation, to members of the Danish Club in London.

As the royal yacht was approaching Greenland a dark speck became visible on the open sea. It proved to be a solitary Eskimo in his little kayak (native canoe). The Eskimo came on board and his loyalty in having braved the perils of the sea in such a frail craft assured, needless to say, the warmest of welcomes. The King presented him with a cigar and, what the Eskimo most highly prize, a rifle.

On landing the King described the incident to the Danish Commissioner in Greenland and asked him who the man was.

The commissioner, in accents of horror, replied: "The man's an escaped convict. He broke prison yesterday, stole a canoe and put to sea. We thought he had been drowned."

Investigate Market Condition

Attempt to Find Reason of Losses in

Farm Produce

Investigation of marketing conditions for farm products, with the object of discovering the spread in prices of farm products and where losses occur was the question taken up by the conference of ministers and deputy ministers of agriculture for the three prairie provinces, held at Regina. The agricultural and livestock situation in the three western provinces was thoroughly discussed at the meeting.

It was recognized by the conference, the farmer of the west is not receiving a living wage, and the object of the western governments is to bring about better conditions on the farms through obtaining better prices for the farmers.

Further conferences of the western government official will be held during the winter, following the sessions of the legislative assemblies of the three western provinces. The conference held at Regina was the first of its kind, and it is expected much will be gained by holding such meetings.

What Is a Good Farmer?

"The requirements of a good farmer are at least, four," says Liberty Hyde Bailey: "The ability to make a full and comfortable living from the land; to rear a family carefully and well; to be of good service to the community; to leave the farm more productive than it was when he took it."

Before the Charge

"Small I go over the top, sir," asked the talkative barber, pointing his scissors.

"Yes, as soon as the gas attack is over," answered the weary customer.—Boston Transcript.

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Canadians Win Honors

High Honors Are Awarded At Recent Chicago Fair

Several Canadians gained high honors at the recent Chicago Fair. John W. Lucas, Cayley, Alberta, is holder of the grand championship oats-sweepstakes. His new variety called "Victory" prevailed over a field of several hundred entries. The oats, weighed 46.4 pounds a bushel. This oat was originated in Sweden and brought to Canada through the Experimental Farm, Ottawa. The Duke of Sutherland won an award with a sample of alfalfa from his ranch at Brooks, Alberta; at the grain and hay show and also captured a prize for his sample of hard red spring wheat, as also did the Duchess of Sutherland. Robert McEwen, of London, Ont., was the first in sheep judging under the Southdown classification. The two Canadian horses, Principal and Wes Donald, had little trouble in beating the other horses for the honors. Several firsts and many other prizes were conferred upon Canadian horses in the various classes. In additional Canadian corn winners was H. L. Thomson, Ottawa, Ont., with an exhibit of flint corn.

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Advice On Maintaining Productiveness Of Farm Lands In The West

Growth Of Wireless

Canada Has Fastest Wireless Service In The World

Recent achievements in wireless telegraphy in this country show that Canada continues well to the fore in this important phase of international life and give rise to further optimism as to the possibilities of wireless. During the past two months wireless messages have been going out of Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, across the Atlantic at the rate of eighty-two words a minute, a record of speed which was scarcely thought possible to attain twelve months ago. It is the fastest wireless (or telegraph) circuit of its length anywhere in the world. It represents 419 letters per minute against the cable's 300 letters per minute. There is an inherent improvement in the accuracy of reception and the recording on the tapes is absolutely clear.

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Farmers in some of the older sections of the prairie are finding that, owing to the presence of weeds and the lack of humus and soil fibre, their fields are not as productive as they were in the first years of farming. They also find that the soil retains less moisture and some of the plant food has been dissipated, consequently, crop yields in these districts are disappointingly low.

While there may be several remedies suggested for this condition of affairs, certain experiments that have been conducted would indicate that an application of manure would be beneficial. Commercial fertilizers have been found too expensive, and while they may add available plant food, they do not increase the water retaining powers of the soil, nor do they to any great extent prevent soil drifting.

Green crops, such as peas or vetches ploughed under, enrich the soil but owing to the dry climate and insufficient moisture in the soil very little plant food is made available for a period of at least two years after ploughing under. Instances have frequently occurred where ploughing under green crops in the summer-fallow year has decreased the wheat yields the succeeding season. Once the decay of these green crops has become sufficiently advanced, then the humus in the soil is increased, and the condition of the soil both physically and chemically is benefited. The soil is particularly enriched if it is a leguminous crop that is ploughed under.

While there may be considerable tracts of land that will continue to produce heavy crops for a long period of years, there are many sections where the application of manure would increase crop yields. On the chocolate clay soil on the Scott Experimental Station, ploughing under rotted manure has always increased crop yields. The six-year average up to the end of 1920 shows that 12 tons of rotted manure ploughed under increased the yield of wheat, by 4 bus, the yield of oats by 8 bus, and the yield of barley by 10 bus. During the season of 1921 it was found that the yield of wheat was increased by six bushels per acre, barley was increased by seven bushels and oats by twelve bushels where manure was applied at the rate of 12 tons per acre.

It was noticeable during the past season that not only did the manure increase the productivity of the plots during the first cropping year after treating, but there was an increase in succeeding years. Three plots that were manured in 1915 and again in 1918 and summer-fallowed in 1920 gave an average of almost eight bushels of wheat per acre more than three plots that had received identical treatment except, g, that they had not at any time received any manure.

In the experiments above mentioned, the manure used was well rotted, and was applied with a spreader. The manure was ploughed under in the autumn immediately after applying. Top dressing has been tested but has not been found profitable on the Scott Station in Saskatchewan.

It must be recognized that there is only a limited supply of manure available and it is quite possible that ploughing under green crops of some kind will be necessary in the future. Yet much can be done to maintain the productiveness of the fields by making economical use of all the manure produced on the farm; by destruction of weeds before they use up plant food and moisture; by keeping the soil in good tilth; and by having a suitable rotation of crops.—M. J. Finlay, Superintendent, Experimental Station, Scott, Sask.

Wheat Production In Canada

Second Largest Producer of Wheat

The latest official figures place Canada as the second largest producer of wheat in the world instead of third as previously stated. The total production of wheat in the Dominion for 1921 is given officially as 329,835,300 bushels. The premier position for wheat production is held by the United States with 704,655,000 bushels. Canada is also the second largest producer of oats with 610,092,000 bushels.

Good Material For Dairy Herds

Speaking at the convention of the Western Canada Western Breeders' Union, Regina, Alexander Davis Ladner, B.C., declared that owners in the prairie provinces had good material for dairy herds in their ordinary grade breeds provided purebred reliable sires were introduced.

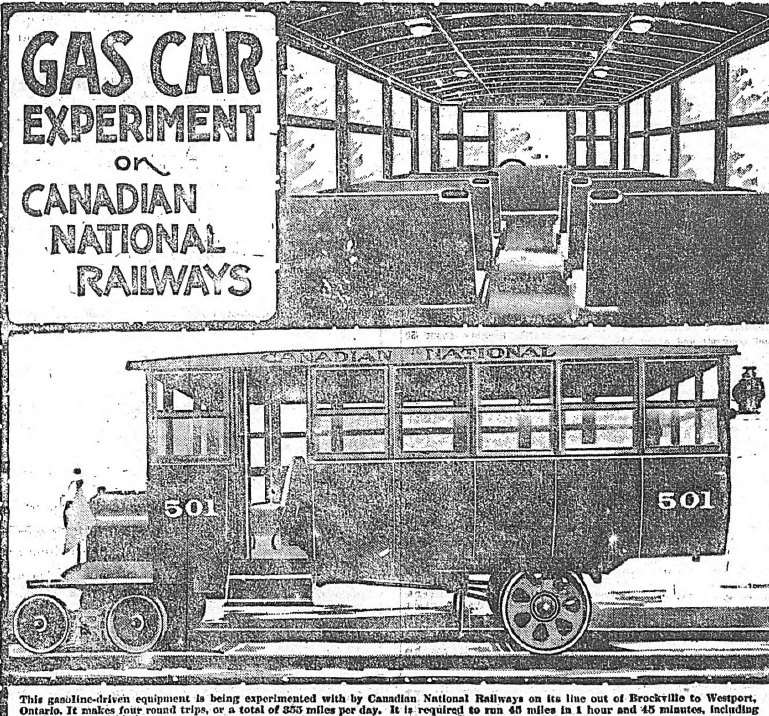
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Oh, Money! Money!

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He did not appear to notice that the music of the piano had become nothing but not fitful matches with a great deal of low talk and laughter between. He seemed interested only that Mr. Blaisdell, and especially Mrs. Blaisdell, should know the future history of one Ephraim Blaisdell, born in 1720, and his ten children and forty-nine grandchildren. He talked of various investments then, and of the weather. He talked of the little trip, and of the cost of railroad fares and hotel life. He talked—indeed, Mrs. Jane told her husband after he left that Mr. Blaisdell had talked of everything under the sun, and that she nearly had a fit because she could not get one minute of herself. She sat upon Mellicent and that horrid Gray fellow at the piano. She had not supposed Mr. Smith could talk like that. She had never remembered he was such a talker!

The young people had a tennis match on the school tennis court the next day. Mr. Smith told Miss Maggie that he thought he would drop around there. He said he liked to play much to watch tennis games.

Miss Maggie said yes, that she liked to watch tennis games, too. If this was just a wee bit of a thing, it quite failed of its purpose, for Mr. Smith did not offer to take her with him. He changed the subject, indeed so abruptly, that Miss Maggie bit her lip and flushed a little, throwing a swift glance into his apparently serene countenance.

Miss Maggie herself, in the afternoon with an errand for an excuse, walked slowly by the tennis court. She saw Mr. Smith at once—but he did not seem at all interested in the playing. He had his back to the court, in fact. He was talking very animatedly with Mellicent Blaisdell. He was still talking with her—though on the opposite side of the court—when Miss Maggie went by again on her way home.

Miss Maggie frowned and said something just under her breath about "that child—driving as usual!" Then she went on, walking very fast, and without another glance toward the tennis ground. But a little farther on Miss Maggie's step lagged perceptibly, and her head lost its proud poise. Miss Maggie, for a reason she could not have explained herself, was feeling suddenly odd, and weary, and very much alone.

To the image in the mirror as she took off her hat a few minutes later in her own room, she said solemnly: "Well, why shouldn't you feel odd? You are odd. You are odd!" Miss Maggie had a habit of talking to herself in the mirror—but never before had she said anything like this to herself.

An hour later Mr. Smith came home to supper.

"Well, how did the game go?" queried Miss Maggie, without a glance up from the stocking she was mending. "Game? Go? Oh! Why, I don't remember who did win finally. He answered. Nor did it apparently occur to him that for one who was so greatly interested in tennis, he was curiously uninformative.

It did occur to Miss Maggie, however.

The next day Mr. Smith left the house soon after breakfast, and con-

tary to his usual custom, did not mention where he was going. Miss Maggie was surprised and displeased. More especially was she displeased because she was displeased. As if it mattered to her where he went, she told herself secretly.

The next day and the next it was much the same. On the third day she saw Jane's keeper, Jane.

"Where's Mr. Smith?" demanded Jane, without preamble, glancing at the vacant chair by the table in the corner.

Miss Maggie, to her disgust, could feel the color burning in her cheeks; she managed to smile as if amused.

"I don't know, I'm sure. I'm not Mr. Smith's keeper, Jane."

"Well, if you were I should ask you to keep him away from Mellicent," retorted Mrs. Jane tartly.

"What do you mean?"

"I mean he's been hanging around Mellicent almost every day for a week."

Miss Maggie flushed painfully.

"Nonsense, Jane! He's more than twenty years older. Mr. Smith is fifty, he's a day."

"I'm not saying he isn't," sniffed Jane, her nose uplifted. "But I do say he's got a lot of foot!"

"Nonsense!" scorned Miss Maggie again. "Mr. Smith has always been a good boy and a good man."

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Of all these, except the very last, Miss Maggie talked with Mr. Smith on the way home—yet it was the very last that was uppermost in her mind, except perhaps Fred. She did speak of Fred; but because that, too, was so much to her, she waited until she had first the spoke of it.

"You saw Fred, of course," she began then.

"Yes." Short as the word was, it carried a volume of meaning to Miss Maggie's fearful ears. She turned to him quickly.

"Mr. Smith, it—it isn't true, is it?"

"I'm afraid it is."

"You saw him—drinking, then?"

"Yes. I saw some, and I heard—more. It's just as I feared. He's got in with Gaylord and the rest of his set at college, and they're a bad lot—drinking, gambling—no good."

"But Fred wouldn't—gamble, Mr. Smith! Oh, Fred wouldn't do that, and he's so anxious to get ahead! Surely he knew he couldn't get anywhere in his studies, if—if he drank and gambled!"

"I would seem so."

"Did you see his father? I saw him only a minute at the first, and he didn't look well at all, either."

"Yes, I saw him. I found him in his den just as I did last year. He did look well to me, either."

"Did he say anything about—Fred?"

"Not a word—and that's what worries me the most. Last year he talked a lot about him, and was proud and happy in his coming success. This time he never mentioned him; but he looked—bad!"

"What did he talk about?"

"Oh, books, business—nothing in particular. And he was very different from last year."

"Yes, I know. He is different," sighed Miss Maggie. "He seems to me quite a lot about about the way they're living. He doesn't like—no more about his studies and society."

Mr. Smith frowned.

"But I thought—Mrs. Hattie would get over all that by this time, after the nervousness of the money was worn off."

"I hoped she would. But—she doesn't. It's worse. She's ashen as Miss Maggie, as they ascended the steps at her own door."

Mr. Smith frowned again.

"And Miss Hattie—she began disapprovingly, then stopped. 'Now, Miss Mellicent—' he resumed, in a different voice."

But Miss Maggie was not apparently listening. With a rather loud rattling of the door knob she was pushing open the door.

"Why, how hot it is! I did live there that summer open," she cried, hurrying into the living-room.

And Mr. Smith, hurrying after, evidently forgot to finish his sentence.

Miss Maggie did not attend and one of the merry-makings of that holiday week. But Mr. Smith did.

It seemed to Miss Maggie, indeed, that Mr. Smith was away nearly every minute of that long week—and in the Martin girls were away many of the evenings. Miss Maggie told herself that that was why the house seemed so lonely.

(To be continued)

Scarcity Of Big Game

Number of Moose Killed in Saskatchewan this Year Believed to be Smallest on Record

"The big game season of 1921," said P. Bradshaw, chief game guard for Saskatchewan, "has been most disappointed as compared with last year. The reports indicate that the supply of deer has been well up to the average, but the number of moose taken was far below the usual."

"It may be remembered," said Mr. Bradshaw, "that the moose were very plentiful last year, and more than 1,200 were killed by licensed hunters, but this year it would be safe to say that the number killed will be the smallest yet recorded. It is difficult to account for this, but many reasons are advanced by hunters for the remarkable shortage. Some say it is due to the ravages of the moose tick which was reported to have been responsible for the loss of a great many animals last spring. Others claim that the moose, owing to the open weather, found that the muskies were not frozen at the time of the first snow, and for that reason they had not yet come down from the north. A good many attribute the shortage to the timber wolves."

Goats Supply Dolls' Hair

The hair of the heads of most of the thousands of dolls exhibited in shop windows is obtained from the Angora goat.

"Furs" Made of Silk

Pushes, carpets and imitation furs are now made of artificial silk.

"YOUR TEETH"

THE FIFTY-TWO TEETH

By REA PROCTOR McGEE, D.D.S., M.D., Editor of "Oral Hygiene"

Every normal person will have in his lifetime fifty-two teeth, as many teeth as there are weeks in the year.

There are twenty teeth in the temporary set and thirty-two in the permanent set. In each jaw the temporary teeth will consist of two central incisors, two lateral incisors, two cuspids, two first molars and two second molars.

There are no bicuspid teeth and no third molars in the temporary set; these are found only in the permanent teeth.

Nature's method of eruping or cutting the teeth is peculiar.

The temporary teeth in baby's jaws are developing in a little groove just like plowing corn in a furrow in the field.

These little teeth have the enamel formed first and then the roots. The teeth do not begin to erupt until a heavy covering is grown from the edges of the developmental groove completely over the tops of the baby teeth.

Then as soon as this job is complete, nature at once begins to absorb the layer of bone so recently grown over the tops of these teeth and presently the teeth, with the aid of blood pressure, push their way through bone and gum into the mouth.

The permanent teeth form more deeply in the jaw and of course as they are more perfect, they form more slowly.

When all of the baby teeth are in place, the little jaws are literally crowded with teeth; twenty in place in the mouth, and thirty-two more or less developed teeth yet concealed below the bone.

Does it not seem good judgment to take care of the permanent teeth so that abscesses will not form about their roots? Just think of the damage that infection from baby teeth can do to those crowded little jaws.

There are no other bones in the body that have other organs developing within them.

Only the jaw bones have, in a lifetime, fifty-two blows punched in them by nature to accommodate fifty-two additional organs. A healthy jaw has as much work to do as it can handle without adding to its burden infection that can be prevented.

Dust Heap A Source Of Revenue

Small talk has generated many big roubles.

Budapest Collected Million Crowns' Worth of Coke From Refuse

The impoverished cities of Central Europe are beginning to look keenly into every source of profit. Thus is claimed for Budapest, the Hungarian capital, that its dust-heaps have been the best source of revenue.

From the city's refuse heaps thirty million crowns' worth of coke has been collected in a year, cleaned and sold, and from unsold refuse a stock of a million briquets has been made.

It is significant that the former pluckings from dust heaps—scraps of food, bones and rags—are now entirely absent.

Electrically Wound Clock For Planes

An electrically wound clock for use in airplanes and balloons has recently been developed, and tested by the Bureau of Standards. It consists primarily of a watch movement with an electrical winding attachment operated from a three-cell, six-volt storage battery.—From the January Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Salad Oil

German experimenters have developed a way to utilize the oil obtained from the marshmallow plant as a salad oil.

Windsor Castle is the oldest royal residence in the world.

DANDERINE

Stops Hair Coming Out; Thickens, Beautifies.

35-cents buys a bottle of "Danderine" at any drug store. After one application you cannot find a particle of dandruff or a falling hair. Besides, every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and abundance.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for Daby. Remedies primarily prepared for grown-ups are not interchangeable. It was the need of a remedy for the common ailments of Infants and Children that brought Castoria before the public after years of research, and no claim has been made for it that its use for over 30 years has not proven.

What is CASTORIA?

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Comfort—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

Surviving Brother Honors Three Heroes

Unveiled Memorial to Them at Darlington, England

A memorial was unveiled at Darlington to three brothers who fell in the war, two of whom won the Victoria Cross and the other the M.C. They were: Lieutenant-Commander George N. Bradford, V.C. B.M., who was killed on the Mole at Zeebrugge; Lieutenant James B. Bradford, M.C., who died in France of wounds received in action; and Brigadier-General Roland Boys Bradford, V.C., M.C., who fell in action in France. The unveiling was performed by the fourth brother, Captain T. Bradford, D.S.O.

Prediction For 1926

Astrologers Say It Will Be Year Of Disaster

The year 1926 is destined to shake the world to its foundations, both physically and politically. It is to be a succession of plagues, famines, floods, shipwrecks, rioting and revolution. So says the British Journal of Astrology, which has drawn the horoscope for that year, when the planets Mars and Mercury will be in conjunction.

Six years later, the great Armageddon is to take place. It will be a final conflict between Mohammedanism, allied with Bolshevism, against the united Anglo-Saxon world.

Whale's Thick Skin

The whale has the thickest skin of any living creature. Its hide in places attains a thickness of fully two feet.

The Secret of Good Health

Assist Nature back to normal action

Take

When Nature requires assistance, she will not be slow in conveying to you an intimation of the fact. Decline of energy, inability to sleep well, headache, biliousness, constipation, a general sluggishness of mind and body and any sign of digestive "unrest" should impel you to seek the aid of a reliable medicine without delay. There is no better—no surer—no safer—than this proven remedy.

Beecham's Pills

Sold everywhere in boxes

25c—40 pills
50c—90 pills

Genuine

BAYER

ASPIRIN

Never say "Aspirin" without saying "Bayer."

WARNING! Unless you see name "Bayer" on tablets, you are not getting Aspirin at all. Why take chances?

Accept only an "unbroken package" of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains directions and dose worked out by physicians during 24 years and proved safe by millions for

Colds Headache Rheumatism
Toothache Neuralgia Neuritis
Earsache Lumbago Pain, Pain

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24 and 100—All Druggists.

(Aspirin is the trade mark registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacturers of famous medicinal products of Bayreuth, Germany. While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer's trademarked product, it is not known that Bayer's Aspirin is made in Germany. Bayer's Aspirin is made in Germany. Bayer's Aspirin is made in Germany.

will be stamped with their special trade mark, the "Bayer Cross."

Anaemia

Thin, watery blood is no more nourishing than thin, watery milk—skin milk.

But you can soon enrich thin blood, overcome the anaemic condition and build up the whole system by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Mrs. F. C. Simmons, 42 Curtis St., Bradford, Ont., writes:

"For about eight years I suffered from anaemia. My circulation was poor, my gums and lips were pale, and my hands and feet were cold. I was nervous and unable to sleep well. I had frequent headaches, seemed restless and easily worried or irritated. There were buzzing sounds in my ears. Indigestion was also one of my complaints, and I often was attacked by weak spells. I went to a doctor, told me I was anaemic, but as I did not get any better I decided to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and after the first box I felt brighter and my headache completely disappeared. I continued using the Nerve Food for quite a while. I am quite well now, and cheerfully and gratefully recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to people suffering as I did before I used this splendid medicine."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

ECZEMA IN RASH CUTICURA HEALS

Very Itchy and Burned. Troubled Six Weeks.

"Our daughter's face came out in a rash that we were told was eczema. Her cheeks got sore and she rubbed causing loss of sleep. The breaking out was very itchy and burned so that I had to tell her on her hands to keep her from scratching. This trouble lasted about six weeks before I used Cuticura. I used one large box of Cuticura Ointment with two cakes of Cuticura Soap and she was healed." (Signed) Mrs. H. Stares, Blenheim Rd., Galt, Ont.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment 25¢ and 50¢. Sold throughout the Dominion. Write for literature. Cuticura Soap, Ointment 25¢ and 50¢. Sold throughout the Dominion. Write for literature.

World-Happenings Briefly Told

Double-deck motor buses are now operated in Rome, the ancient city where chariots once travelled.

Rare are, doing damage to Richmond dykes on Lake Umbagog, B.C., by working under and through them.

According to information received in Calgary, a small town of oil has been struck at Walsh, Alta., just east of Medicine Hat.

The loss of a nickel cost the life of 13-year-old John Martin, of New York. He opened a subway grate to recover it, and fell to the tracks underneath in the path of a train.

Information gathered by the Northwest Grain Dealers' Association was that farmers in the three western provinces have 31 million bushels of wheat left to market.

Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, great-grandnephew of the famous Napoleon, declared in New York that he was not giving serious consideration to an invitation to ascend the throne of Albania.

Announcement was made by the Provincial Government that Colin Groff, a member of the staff of the Calgary Albertan, has been appointed publicity commissioner for the province of Alberta in succession to the late James McCall, whose death took place some time ago.

Word was received by the Canadian Government from Moscow that the arrival at Novorossiysk, Russia, of the steamer Canadian Selgore with the first consignment of the 600 tank cars, manufactured for the Russian Soviet Government by the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, of Montreal.

A well-defined earthquake was registered at Gonzales Observatory, Victoria, on Dec. 18th, commencing at 7:40 a.m., the maximum vibration being registered at 7:51 a.m. and the vibration lasting two hours. The distance is estimated at 1,200 miles, or in Northern Mexico.

A provincial real estate board, composed of all the local real estate boards in the various cities of Ontario, has been given birth. The new organization will be similar to the state boards north of the border, and R. B. Richards has been appointed chairman of a committee to prepare details of organization for the new body.

A "balanced diet" may sound confusing to many people

The facts, as explained here, are simple.

The secret of a "balanced diet" is to have food containing all the elements needed for proper nutrition. These elements are protein, to nourish the tissues; starch and sugar to furnish energy; fat to supply heat; and mineral salts to provide the material necessary for building nerves, brain, and tooth and bone structure.

Grape-Nuts, the nourishing cereal made of whole wheat flour and malted barley, served with cream or milk, is a complete food for young and old alike.

Go to your grocer today and get a package of Grape-Nuts. Eat it with milk or cream for breakfast; or with stewed fruit, jelly or jam, as a delicious dessert for lunch or dinner.

Every member of the family will relish this palatable and nourishing food—

Grape-Nuts—the Body Builder

"There's a Reason"

Made by Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

A Whistling Mouse

Only One Known That Can Mimic Birds

The town of Oslo in Ozark County, Mo., makes a bid for fame with a whistling mouse, the first of its kind.

Whether this mouse has been found too freely of Ozark "corn licker," or whether it thinks it is a mocking bird, is not clear.

It was discovered in the home of W. H. Hampton, a merchant at Oslo, and apparently had wandered in from the woods for the winter.

The mouse can mimic a quail, mocking bird or any other bird, according to the Rev. Walter B. Fish, missionary for the American Sunday School Union of Springfield, who vouches for the authenticity of the story. It keeps up a continuous whistle and chatter all day and night, ceasing only when it hears strange voices in the building. Fortunately, the Hamptons are not superstitious, and attach no significance to the mouse's performance.

POSSIBLY YOUR OWN WIFE

She may not look so young and pretty as she used to. If her cheeks are hollow and pale, if she is tired and nervous, her system needs a good regulating with Dr. Hamilton's Pills, a real medicine that is noted for restoring the bloom of health to staid girls and women. Dr. Hamilton's Pills tone up the entire system. Complexion quickly becomes rosy, spirits bright, strength increases daily. Health, vigor and good looks will soon return to a faded woman, if she uses Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Sold everywhere, 25¢ per box, or from the Cataract Dispensary Co., Montreal.

Crerar Re-Elected President

United Grain Growers Elect New Officers for the Year

Hon. T. A. Crerar was re-elected president of the United Grain Growers, Limited, at a meeting of directors held at Winnipeg. C. Rice Jones was re-elected first vice-president and general manager. J. J. McLaughlin, Purple Springs, Alta., P. F. Collier, Weyburn, Sask., and John F. Reid, Arcadia, Sask., were elected to the executive. John Kennedy, of Winnipeg, was elected second vice-president.

E. J. Freeman, Calgary, and F. M. Black, Winnipeg, were re-appointed secretary and treasurer respectively.

Dyed Her Sweater

And Silk Stockings

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions as simple as that any woman can dye or tint faded, shabby skirts, dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stockings, handkerchiefs, and everything else new. Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other name—the perfect home dyeing is guaranteed, even if you have never dyed before. The material you wish to dye is wool or silk or cotton, or linen, or rayon, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never stain, spot, fade, or run.

New Idea

The water had been very slow in serving dinner, and the diner was exasperated to the point of sarcasm. "Now, waiter," he said, "bring me a coffee and liqueur, and while you're away you might send me a postcard now and then."

Fiction's Rivals

Children, who are among the greatest users of public libraries, are now borrowing books of biography, natural history and travel almost as often as they choose fiction.

New Concrete Device

To keep concrete of uniform quality a timing device for mixers has been invented that controls the mixing by regulating the operation of the discharge chute.

RHEUMATIC ACES QUICKLY RELIEVED

The racking, agonizing rheumatic aches are quickly relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment.

For forty years, folks all over the world have found Sloan's to be the natural enemy of pain and ache.

It penetrates without rubbing. You can just tell by its healthy, stimulating odor that it is going to do you good.

Keep Sloan's handy for neuralgia, sciatica, lumbago, stiff joints, sore muscles, strains and sprains.

At all drug stores—35¢, 70¢, \$1.40.

Made in Canada.

Sloan's Liniment (Pain's Enemy)

The Newspapers Win

Results Show There Is No Better Advertising Medium

Value of newspapers for advertising has once more been demonstrated by an extensive survey made by United States army officers of all means of publicity used last summer to secure candidates for the citizens' military training camp at Plattsburg. Each candidate who attended the camp was asked how he learned of the camp and the responses from these answers have been carefully checked. In the drive for candidates every possible means of publicity was used, including show cards, addresses in public gatherings and personal solicitation. The survey of results of these means of publicity shows that newspapers informed nearly 50 per cent. of all candidates.

NOTHING TO EQUAL

BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. Alfred Naud, Natagan River, Que., writes:—"I do not think there is any other medicine to equal Baby's Own Tablets for little ones. I have used them for my baby and would say nothing else. What Mrs. Naud says thousands of other mothers say. They have found by trial that the Tablets always do just what is claimed for them. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus banish indigestion, constipation, colic, colds, etc. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Attack of Liver Complaint

The telephone man and the bookkeeper answered it, as the Boston Transcript tells it. "Yes, madam, this is Wilkins' market." "This is Mrs. Blank," I want you to know that the liver you sent me is most unsatisfactory. It is not calf's liver at all; calf's liver is tender and—"Just a moment, madam, and I'll call the proprietor." "What is it?" Wilkins asked. The bookkeeper surrendered the phone. "Mrs. Blank," he said, "Liver complaint."

"Corns cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Remover is within reach of all."

German Water Flare

Found in England

Picked Up in Woods And Sent To Air Ministry

A German water flare has been found in Mar Forest, Deeside. Flares of this type were dropped by Zeppelins to enable the commander to ascertain whether he was flying over land or water.

This particular flare, which was found by a gillie and handed by him to the Prince of Wales, who sent it on to the air ministry, was no doubt dropped by the ill-fated Zeppelin L-20, which left Germany with nine other airships on the mornings of May 2, 1918. The L-20 crossed the coast of Scotland at Lanan Bay and flew on past Montrose, where it turned inland, and flew past Brechin over the Forest of Mar and within 15 miles of Balmoral. It crossed the Monadhliath Mountains and the Caledonian Canal. It then altered its course and flew east by north and dropped four bombs in the north of Aberdeen-shire, they re-crossed the coast near Cruden Bay.

Over the North Sea the L-20 met heavy winds and was driven against high land at Haddesburgh in Norway, on the morning of May 3. The ship was badly injured and fell into a fjord and sank. Her commander was Captain-Lieutenant Stabert.

No Reduction in Shoe Prices

That there is going to be no reduction in price of boots and shoes was the statement made by S. Roy Weaver, manager of the Shoe Manufacturers' Association of Canada, and he declared that reports to the contrary are baseless.

Butterfly Farms in England In England are several farms devoted entirely to the cultivation of butterflies and moths.

Minard's Liniment for Colds, etc.

Faith Cures and Faith Diseases

Imagination Plays Large Part in Health and Sickness

"There are faith cures," a doctor said, "and there are also faith diseases. You believe you're cured, and lo, you are cured. You believe you've got a disease, and lo, you've got it. Faith does the trick."

"Every medical man knows the story of the hospital patient whose nurse told him for a joke that the patient preceding him had had small pox. Smallpox hadn't visited that locality for years, but this joke victim took it and died of it in three days."

"Another hospital patient was one day told that a lotion to be applied to his arm would burn him pretty severely. By mistake water was applied instead of the lotion, yet the patient grimaced and groaned in pain, and in a few minutes large white blisters developed wherever the water had touched."

"Faith! Faith is a marvellous thing, and to say that it will remove mountains is no great exaggeration, after all."

Useful in Camp.—Explorers, surveyors, prospectors and hunters will find Dr. Thomas' Eucalypti Oil very useful in camp. When the feet and legs are wet and cold it is well to rub the soles with it for the result will be the prevention of pain in the muscles, and should a cut, or contusion, or sprain be sustained, nothing could be better as a dressing or lotion.

'Mounties' Known As

Royal Entertainers

Expense Was Not Considered Forty Years Ago

Thirty or forty years ago the North-West Mounted Police force were known socially as royal entertainers. Expense cost no figure. The distance their guests resided was not considered in those days. Hospitality was spelled in letters 10 feet high.

"Every visitor, practically speaking, from '76 to '96 to the writer's personal knowledge, was met at Regina (from '32), Fort Walsh, Fort Qu'Appelle, Battleford, Prince Albert, Fort McLeod, Calgary, Fort Saskatchewan, Maple Creek, annually gave a banquet and ball, the cost of which varied from \$1,500 to \$3,000, according to the strength of the divisions and the weather. In one instance at Fort McLeod the orchestra was imported from Winnipeg."

Everybody was asked and all were welcome—the white lady and the half breed lady received exactly the same kindly and courteous treatment. In cases where it was not convenient for the guests to move for their own transport, police trains were provided, and on many occasions drives of 30 or 40 miles were made to bring some fair matron or maid to the celebration, with transportation home afterwards.

These were the days of true hospitality, and the endeavor made to entertain was based upon the policemen's finances. A monthly wage of say \$20 to \$30 for constables and from \$30 to \$45 for N.C.O.'s, and \$100 to \$180 for commissioned officers. If the entertainments of the present day were based upon similar conditions the function would be some gorgeous affair.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Expeller.

The Gods of India

Vishnu the Preserver and Shiva the Destroyer Supreme to Natives India is a land of "ganga gods," and some of them are very strange indeed, observes a correspondent writing from India to the Daily Mail.

One encounters them all over the country, but it is only in the holy cities that their presence in force is felt.

The two supreme gods are Vishnu the Preserver and Shiva the Destroyer. Vishnu is said to have come down on earth nine times. He has had a many-sided past, having taken the forms of a fish, a tortoise, a bear and a lion, therefore identifying the popular regard for these animals.

He is easily identifiable, for he is painted bright blue and stands majestically on a snake.

As with many other gods, his images are treated very humanly. Every day he is aroused from sleep, dressed and fed—the food being quickly collected off by the priests afterward—and each night he is undressed, bathed and put to bed just like any human child.

Shiva the Destroyer, on the other hand, is rather a fearsome monster, with a predilection for burning places and graves. He has, however, been ungenerally passed his worst qualities on to his wife, the dread goddess Kali. Rather curiously, the pair of them are worshipped as the creators as well as the destroyers of life, so that childless women often direct their prayers to them.

Lace and Chiffon Grace the Tea Hour



By Marie Belmont

The tea-time hour can find no more charmingly feminine garment than this creation of rose chiffon and gray lace, trimmed in wide bands of Australian opessum. The warm rose color of the chiffon gives just enough color to the neutral gray, while the flying side panels add their finishing touch of smartness. Speaking of panels, it seems that the straight-line frock will never again relinquish these added bits of extra length, now they have annexed them. Indefinite hemlines, too, remain at the height of the mode, as bespeak in the bit of gray lace which finishes the rose chiffon skirt. For the wearer who desires striking effects rather than softer tones, the same gown is suggested in black lace over white satin, with money fur fringe instead of the wide fur bands.

Nation-wide Fame.—There is scarcely a corner of this great Dominion where the merits of Dr. Thomas' Eucalypti Oil have not been tried and proved. It is one of the most efficient remedies for sore throat, lame back and many other ailments arising from influenza. Rubbed on the skin its healing power is readily absorbed, and it can also be taken internally.

Germans Like Chop Suey American "chop suey" has been introduced to the Rhinelanders—and they like it.

The chop suey idea was conceived by the American soldier, Walter E. Smith, who opened a shop with his restaurant opened.

Germans didn't pay much attention to the little cafe at first, but curiously got the best of them at last and finally they began patronizing the place, and the food, served with Chinese trimmings, is quite popular now with the native men and women.

Arabian Vinegar Best

The vinegar made by the Arabs is said to be far superior to any other.

Bolsheviks Eat Clay Sauce

The Bolsheviks prepare from clay a sauce that adds relish to their potatoes.

A little learning makes a man dangerous company for himself.

You're Constipated!

Take "Cascarets" For Liver, Bowels

Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, or sour, gassy stomach—always trace this to morbid liver and delayed fermenting food in the bowels. Cascarets work while you sleep. Cascarets cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the accumulated waste matter and poisons in the bowels. Get a 10-cent box now and let "Cascarets" straighten you out by morning.

Mother, Quick! Give

California Fig Syrup For Child's Bowels

Even a sick child loves the "fruit" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little tongue is coated, or if your child is listless, cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how the little one was under all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again. Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

HALIFAX EXPLOSION WRECKED HER NERVES

The reader will, no doubt, remember when a few years ago there was a collision in the Halifax, N.S., Harbor and one of the munition ships was blown into the air, causing a great loss of life and laying a large portion of the city in ruins, and causing a great deal of suffering and distress among the inhabitants.

Mrs. Winfield Dill, now of Windsor, N.S., was living in Halifax at that time and went through this trying experience and the shock wrecked her nerves. She writes as follows:—"I was living in Halifax at the time of the explosion, and it wrecked my nerves so that I could not do my housework. I would take such nervous spells I would be under the doctor's care."

I saw Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills advertised, so I took two boxes, and they helped me so much I took six more, and now I am completely relieved. I can recommence then to enjoy one suffering from heart and nerve trouble."

To all those who suffer from nervous shock we would recommend our

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

as the best remedy to tone up the entire nervous system and strengthen the weakened organs. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are the original heart and nerve food having been on the market for the past 27 years. Price, 50¢ a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Gets Fortune From

Police Court Fine

Ball Given Before War Nets Army Officer Big Sum

The collapse in the Australian exchange turned a police court fine into a fortune for an Australian army officer who has just been sentenced to pay 50 francs at Duha for assaulting a customs official before the war. The officer then was released upon cash bail of 5,000 Swiss francs, deposited at a time when the crown was the equivalent of the franc.

When he paid his fine and recovered the bail he deposited years ago, he found that he had what would be changed into more than 2,000,000 Austrian crowns.

Minard's Liniment for Gargle in Cows

Ducks Becoming a Nuisance

The depredations of the duck have become so serious in certain parts of Saskatchewan, that the farmers will likely ask the Provincial Government for an open season the year round.

Swiss Have Joint Dairies

Switzerland has many co-operative cattle associations, besides joint stock dairies in every village.

Before calling a man a liar, be sure

you are right—then don't.

RAV PUR COLLECTORS AND

TRAPPERS get highest prices for your furs. Ship them to me. I have more than satisfied others. Write to me sure of best returns. Write for tags and price list. Strengthen Wolf, 114 West 30th St., New York.

MONEY ORDERS

Send a Dominion Express Money Order. They are payable everywhere.

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CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers

Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between toes, and the calluses, without wear or irritation.

W. N. U. 1400

M.D. of Golden Center

The eighth meeting of the Council of the municipality of Golden Center, was held on Wednesday, Dec. 7.

Members all present except Coun. Fulton.

Minutes read and confirmed. Reeve McConnell and Coun. Stewart were appointed as delegates to convention of Association of Municipal Districts.

Said delegates were instructed to present the following resolutions: 1. That M.D. Act be so amended as to permit School Districts to create a reserve equal to six months expenditure.

2. That Legislative Committee request the Legislature to devise some means whereby we can collect from non-ratepayers in M. D. who have received medical attention.

Financial statement to date was read and accepted.

Following accounts were paid: R. Price, advance for hospital fees \$100; Destruction of weeds, John Rogers, wages 42.00; S.W. 24-30-4, 14.00; A. Vogt, S.W. 24 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ 14-30-4, 20.00; J. Vogt, W $\frac{1}{2}$ 12-3-4 10.50; M. Classon, S.W. 34-29-4, 30.00; R. B. Riddell, blacksmith account 9.75; W. M. Rogers, 7.50; F. A. Krick, 15.75; Geo. Butcher, 12.00; Acheson Hardware, 75; J. P. Sheppard, 39.65; Empire Lumber Co., 118.45; J. Alexander, 25.15; A. H. Melville, 3.00; Wes. Mun. News, tax receipts, 18.00; United Type writer Co., 2.85; Fees, mileage and road inspection, E. Anderson 68.70, W. B. Kirkpatrick 102.00, Ed. Stewart 62.90, E. B. Fulton

5.40, J. R. McConnell (1920-1) 144.80, L. C. Michaels, rent 33.34 N. D. Ross, salary 41.66, Ralph Greene, salary 500.00, and John Bayliss, road diversion 38.00. It was decided to hold the annual meeting in L. A. Walper's barn on S.W. 24-30-5 on Feb. 20 1922, at 2 p.m.

L. C. Michaels was appointed Returning Officer at Fee of \$50.

Following D.R.O. were appointed and Booths located:

H. Logan, in Ward 1, Booth at Fairacres School.

M. E. Collins, Ward 3, Booth at N.W. 22-29-6.

R. O. Morrow, Ward 5, Booth Wild Flower School.

L. Walper, R. T. Summers and H. Logan were appointed a committee to investigate road diversion at S.W. 7-29-4.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday, Feb. 20, 1922, at 13.30.

Report of Heathdale School

Results of monthly examinations for November and December of Heathdale School were as follows:

Average of percentages resulting from written and oral work.

Grade IX. Violet Jacobson 70 p.c., Mildred Anderson 40.

Grade VI. Theo Poeckens 56, Winnie Tooth 45.

Grade V. Geo. Poeckens 65, Edna Anderson 50.

Grade IV. Frank Tooth 40, John Moore 87.

Grade III. John Moore 87, John Palm 84.

Grade II. Clara Poeckens 75, Grade I, Charlie McNeil 85, Francis Poeckens 80.

Grading examinations were held during last weeks of November and December and following promotions made, in order of merit.

From V to Junior VI. Geo. Poeckens 65 p.c. Edna Anderson 50.

From Junior VI to Senior VI. Theo Poeckens 56, Winnie Tooth 45.

From II to Junior III. Clara Poeckens.

From Junior III to Senior III. John Moore, John Palm.

From Junior I to Senior I. Charlie McNeil, Francis Poeckens.

Days taught from July to December 106.

Aggregate attendance for term 919.5. Average attendance for term 8.67. Percentage 84.1.

Emma L. Moore, Teacher.

Fire in Vestry During Service

Fire broke out in the vestry of the Chinook church last Sunday evening during service, but fortunately was noticed before very serious damage was done. A lamp which was hanging from the ceiling in the vestry was the cause of the trouble, the flames from the lamp setting fire to the beaver board on the ceiling.

Wedding**CARRUTHERS-SWITZER**

A quiet wedding took place on Thursday evening, December 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Chapman, when Miss Gladys Mae Switzer, second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Switzer, of Chinook district, and Mr. Thos. A. Carruthers, of Edmonton, Alta., were united in marriage, Rev. Geo. A. Kettly officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Carruthers left next morning for Saskatoon and Edmonton where they will spend a few days before going to their home in Ribstone, Alta., where Mr. Carruthers is in business.

Official Figures For Medicine Hat Election

Returning Officer Baker has compiled the figures of the Federal election in the Medicine Hat riding. The official results are as follows:

Robert Gardiner, Farmer 10,295
Dr. Gershaw, Liberal 2,698
Major McIntosh, Con. 1,135

Shaw Elected By a Majority Sixteen Votes

Jos. T. Shaw, independent candidate, was declared elected as federal representative for the west Calgary riding last Friday, by the Returning Officer. The final standing of the candidates when received from Judge Winter is:

J. T. Shaw 7,369
R. B. Bennett 7,353
E. F. Ryan 1,351

Judge J. Hyndman, chairman of the Canadian federal grain enquiry board, states that correspondence has taken place between the commission and the governments of the United States and Australia with a view of arranging a conference of all the grain exporting countries to consider the whole question of world marketing of grain. The proposal has been sympathetically received, Judge Hyndman says, and the matter will be followed up. The idea is to secure an international organization to eliminate violent fluctuations in prices to regulate the movement of crops more evenly, and to ensure producers steadier and profitable prices.

Chinook Curling Club Christmas Bonspiel

Wylie

Dunn

Dunn

Chapman

Gingles

Pollock

Deman

Hinds

Rennie

Milligan

Dunn

Pollock

Pollock

Pollock

Deman

Rennie

Rennie

Enjoying Winter in Quebec

With the object of making Quebec the leading winter sport city on this continent, a very attractive and varied programme of matches, races, and competitions is being arranged for the season of 1921-22, and visitors to this beautiful and romantic old city will have a wonderful opportunity of witnessing or participating in ski-races, hockey games, snowshoe tramps, curling matches, skating events, ski-touring, indoor and outdoor festivities and entertainments, all in a historic setting without parallel in North America.

The Chateau Frontenac, which is the traditional social centre of the city, is co-operating heartily by the contribution not only of a triple chute toboggan slide on Dufferin Terrace, a ski jump on Citadel Hill, a skating rink adjoining the hotel and a curling rink in the Palm Court of the hotel, but also offering cups for competition between amateur hockey clubs and snowshoe clubs of the city as well as individual prizes for the various sporting events.

The whole city, with its hilly streets, its skating rinks, its beautiful Battlefields Park on the Plains of Abraham, its proximity to quaint old French-Canadian villages and natural scenery of spectacular beauty such as Montmorency Falls, its atmosphere of hospitality and gaiety and charm, offers to those who love to tramp on snowshoes or glide on skis, or hurtle down on toboggans, or drive crammed in furs, to the jiggle of the sleigh bells, a choice of out-door winter recreation such as would be difficult to rival anywhere.

The population of Quebec revels in its glorious winter. The Quebec child takes to snowshoes, and very soon after that graduates to skates or a toboggan or skis. As the years pass, he or she joins a club and plays hockey, and many with the approach of maturity learn to wield the broom and the curling stone, and "scop her up." A dog sleigh is a step on the ladder to a sleigh drawn by a fast trotter.

Winter sports are thus native to Quebec. The snowshoe and ski clubs extend to visitors cordial invitations to their outings which are always most interesting and enjoyable affairs. A big curling Bonspiel, lasting for a week, will be held sometime during February, in which teams from many points in Canada and possibly the United States will participate. Within the Chateau Frontenac there will be indoor golf, billiards, music and there is an excellent floor for dancing. The con-



These two pictures were taken last winter in Quebec city. The first shows dog sleighs and the second curling. The curling rink is to be appreciated, while the toboggan slide on Dufferin Terrace and a skating rink immediately adjacent to the hotel, need only be men-tion 200 yards of the hotel.

Chinook Hockey Team Win From Cereal, 8-5

The first hockey match of the season here took place between Chinook and Cereal on Chinook ice last Tuesday afternoon. In the early stages of the game the home team got the best of the play but towards the end of the match the visitors pulled up considerably but not enough to prevent Chinook winning by a score of 8-5. Among the locals who showed real form were Wes. Key, Billy Lee and V. Forest. Quite a large crowd witnessed the game.

CURLING NOTES

By Scribe
The "Mutt and Jeff" novelty trophy which was turned loose at the opening of the season, has changed hands a few times, but for the last two weeks it has been kept a prisoner by our noted Bank rink. On entering the bank any one of the rink will point with pride to the ribbon bedecked trophy, which by the way, sits on top of the cage, just over the head of our smiling teller. And say, 'that's her'!
Let's go and get them! Atta boy!
We can't let "Mac" keep her much longer.

CHINOOK MARKETS

(Wednesday's Prices)

Wheat, No. 1. \$ 81
" No. 2. " 78
" No. 3. " 73
Oats, No. 2, Canada West 25
Oats, feed " 22
Barley " 31
Flax " 45
Rye " 62
Cive Hogs (Calgary) 60.00
Eggs " 60
Butter " 35

Hay for Sale—Good baled hay for sale. Alf A. Conway, Sec. 28-13-7, Loyalist, 25 miles north of Chinook

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